

**The Florida Senate**  
**COMMITTEE MEETING EXPANDED AGENDA**

**CRIMINAL JUSTICE**  
**Senator Evers, Chair**  
**Senator Dean, Vice Chair**

**MEETING DATE:** Tuesday, March 22, 2011

**TIME:** 8:00 —10:00 a.m.

**PLACE:** Mallory Horne Committee Room, 37 Senate Office Building

**MEMBERS:** Senator Evers, Chair; Senator Dean, Vice Chair; Senators Dockery, Margolis, and Smith

TAB	BILL NO. and INTRODUCER	BILL DESCRIPTION and SENATE COMMITTEE ACTIONS	COMMITTEE ACTION
1	<b>SB 336</b> Fasano (Compare CS/H 39, H 1039, CS/CS/S 204, S 1886)	Controlled Substances; Revises the list of controlled substances included in Schedules I, II, III, IV, and V.  CJ      03/22/2011 Fav/CS HR JU BC	Fav/CS Yeas 4 Nays 0
2	<b>SB 372</b> Bogdanoff (Similar H 1379)	Pretrial Programs; Requires each pretrial release program established by ordinance of a county commission, by administrative order of a court, or by any other means in order to assist in the release of a defendant from pretrial custody to conform to the eligibility criteria set forth by the act. Preempts any conflicting local ordinances, orders, or practices. Requires that the defendant satisfy certain eligibility criteria in order to be assigned to a pretrial release program, etc.  CJ      03/22/2011 Temporarily Postponed JU BC	Temporarily Postponed
3	<b>SB 556</b> Oelrich (Compare CS/H 353)	Drug Screening/Beneficiaries/Temporary Assistance; Requires the Department of Children and Family Services (DCFS) to establish a drug-screening program . Requires consent to drug screening as a condition to eligibility for or receipt of temporary cash assistance. Limits screening to certain persons. Provides terms of disqualification for temporary cash assistance. Requires the DCFS to supply information concerning substance abuse treatment. Revises requirements for determination of eligibility for temporary cash assistance to conform to changes made by the act, etc.  CJ      03/22/2011 Fav/CS BC	Fav/CS Yeas 4 Nays 0

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4	<b>SB 608</b> Evers (Similar H 403)	Traffic Offenses; Provides criminal penalties for a person who commits a moving violation that causes serious bodily injury to, or causes or contributes to the death of, a person operating or riding in a motor vehicle or operating or riding on a motorcycle. Requires that the person pay a specified fine, serve a minimum period of incarceration, and attend a driver improvement course. Requires the court to revoke the person's driver's license for a specified period, etc.  TR 03/09/2011 Favorable CJ 03/22/2011 Favorable BC	Favorable Yeas 5 Nays 0
5	<b>CS/SB 818</b> Health Regulation / Fasano (Compare H 7095, S 1386)	Controlled Substances; Authorizes certain health care practitioners to complete a continuing education course relating to the prescription drug monitoring program. Creates a felony of the third degree for any person to register or attempt to register a pain-management clinic through misrepresentation or fraud. Revises the list of entities that are not required to register as a pain-management clinic. Requires that the prescription drug monitoring program comply with the minimum requirements of the National All Schedules Prescription Electronic Reporting Act, etc.  HR 03/14/2011 Fav/CS CJ 03/22/2011 Fav/CS BC	Fav/CS Yeas 5 Nays 0
6	<b>SB 844</b> Benacquisto (Compare H 575)	Violations/Probation/Community Control/Widman Act; Creates the "Officer Andrew Widman Act." Authorizes a circuit court judge, after making a certain finding, to issue a warrant for the arrest of a probationer or offender who has violated the terms of probation or community control. Authorizes the court to commit or release the probationer or offender under certain circumstances. Authorizing the court, in determining whether to require or set the amount of bail, to consider the likelihood that the person will be imprisoned for the violation of probation or community control, etc.  CJ 03/22/2011 Fav/1 Amendment JU BC	Fav/1 Amendment (722356) Yeas 5 Nays 0

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7	<b>SB 920</b> Ring (Compare CS/H 339)	Possession of Stolen Credit or Debit Cards; Prohibits possession of a stolen credit or debit card in specified circumstances. Provides penalties. Provides that a retailer who takes, accepts, retains, or possesses a stolen credit or debit card without knowledge that the card is stolen and who is authorized to process transactions by the company issuing the credit or debit card does not commit a violation under certain circumstances. Provides an exception for certain retail employees.  CJ 03/22/2011 Fav/CS CM AG	Fav/CS Yeas 5 Nays 0
8	<b>SB 1060</b> Lynn (Compare H 4035, S 104, S 1628)	Programs for Misdemeanor Offenders; Provides for defendants found guilty of certain misdemeanor drug offenses to be placed into licensed substance abuse education and treatment intervention programs. Authorizes private or public entities to provide such programs. Requires that a private entity provide such programs under contract and comply with applicable laws. Removes certain eligibility criteria prohibiting such placement if the defendant has previously been admitted to a pretrial program.  CJ 03/22/2011 Favorable BC	Favorable Yeas 5 Nays 0
9	<b>SB 1114</b> Detert	Verification of a Prisoner's Immigration Status; Requires the staff of a jail or other detention center or facility to make a reasonable effort to determine the citizenship status of a person charged with specified crimes. Requires the facility staff to make a reasonable effort to verify whether the prisoner is lawfully present in the United States. Requires facility staff to request the assistance of the United States Department of Homeland Security to verify the immigration status of a person within 48 hours after the person is confined in the jail or other detention center or facility, etc.  CJ 03/22/2011 Temporarily Postponed MS CA BC	Temporarily Postponed

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10	<b>SB 1300</b> Storms (Identical H 997, Compare H 839)	Juvenile Civil Citations; Requires that a juvenile civil citation program be established at the local level with the concurrence of the chief judge of the circuit and other designated persons. Authorizes a law enforcement agency, the Department of Juvenile Justice, a juvenile assessment center, the county or municipality, or an entity selected by the county or municipality to operate the program. Restricts eligibility of participants for the civil citation program to first-time misdemeanor offenders, etc..  CJ JU BC	Fav/CS Yeas 5 Nays 0
11	<b>SB 1494</b> Evers (Similar H 1029)	Interstate Compact for Juveniles; Reenacts provisions which expired by operation of law on August 26, 2010. Provides purpose of the compact. Provides for an Interstate Commission for Juveniles. Provides for the activities of the Interstate Commission to be financed by an annual assessment from each compacting state. Provides for judicial enforcement. Provides for dissolution of the compact. Reenacts provisions which expired by operation of law on August 26, 2010. Creates the State Council for Interstate Juvenile Offender Supervision to oversee state participation in the compact, etc..  CJ BC	Favorable Yeas 5 Nays 0
12	<b>SB 1932</b> Evers	Justice Reinvestment Commission; Creates said commission within the Executive Office of the Governor. Requires the commission, within available resources, to conduct comprehensive analytical research of criminal and juvenile justice data, evaluations of relevant criminal and juvenile justice policies, and current state corrections and juvenile justice funding in order to develop practical, data-driven policy options that can increase public safety, improve offender accountability, reduce recidivism, and manage the growth of spending on correction and juvenile justice programs, etc..  CJ GO BC	Temporarily Postponed